



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT:	Wensley et al.	}	
SERIAL NO.:	10/057,197		EXAMINER: D. Erez
FILED:	October 26, 2001		ART UNIT: 3731
TITLE:	AEROSOL GENERATING METHOD AND DEVICE		CONFIRMATION NO.: 1701

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2006, Applicant has the following remarks:

The Examiner required restriction to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C.

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Species I	Claims 39-42, 156-168, 176 and 180 drawn to a magnetic/inductive heater.
Species II	Claims 124-130, 175 and 179, drawn to an electrical/resistive heater.
Species III	Claim 169, drawn to a thermal heater.
Species IV	Claims 174 and 178, directed towards a heater comprising photon energy.

Applicant hereby elects to prosecute the claims of Species II (claims 124-130, 175 and 179) with traverse.

Claims as they stand begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.

**37 CFR 1.8
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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